

TRAVELING ON PUBLIC  
MONEY, CHARGE MADE  
AGAINST OFFICIALS

Several Officials of the Department of Justice Are Alleged to Have Been in San Francisco at Time of Democratic Convention at Public Expense.

SENATE COMMITTEE  
WILL TAKE UP NEW  
PHASE OF INQUIRY

Republican Fund-Raising in New York City Is Also Another Important Matter to Be Investigated by the Senate Investigating Committee.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 24.—The Senate committee investigating campaign expenditures plans to examine further the expense accounts of government officials who were in San Francisco during the Democratic national convention. It was brought out yesterday that several department of justice officials went to San Francisco at that time at public expense. It was expected today that this phase of the inquiry would not be resumed till tomorrow.

Among the witnesses subpoenaed with the expectation that they would be heard yesterday who are still to testify, are George R. Lockwood, editor of the Republican, a campaign newspaper published here, and Joseph L. Herriman of the Stars and Stripes staff.

Republican fund-raising in New York City, touched upon by William Boyce Thompson, chairman of the ways and means committee, of the national committee, and others at previous hearings, also remained for consideration.

LEYGUES NAMED  
FRANCE'S PREMIER  
Minister of Marine in Clemenceau Cabinet Has Accepted Call to Head New Cabinet.

Paris, Sept. 24 (By the Associated Press).—Georges Leygues, minister of marine in the Clemenceau cabinet, has accepted a call to the first premiership, under President Millerand's administration, it was announced today. He will likewise act as foreign minister.

Georges Leygues became minister of marine when Premier Clemenceau formed his cabinet in Nov. 1917, a few months after the entry of the United States into the war and served in that post until the end of the war, contributing notably to the success of the allies in the long struggle against German submarine warfare. He retired last January with the resignation of Clemenceau.

M. Leygues began his political career as a member of the chamber in 1884. Subsequently he held posts in the cabinets of Dupuy, Ribot, Waldeck-Rousseau and Sarrien. He is a lawyer and a writer on historical, political, economic and literary subjects. His political affiliations have been with the group of the Republicans of the left. He will be 62 years of age in November.

PRAISE MILLERAND.  
French Press Speaks in High Terms of President.

Paris, Sept. 24.—Praise of Alexandre Millerand, the new president of the French republic, is the keynote of editorials upon his inauguration printed here today. The only discordant note came from Socialist organs and some radical journals. The Ouvreur, for instance, recalls how M. Millerand was shouted down in the Chamber of Deputies, and was accused of being responsible for the fact that the French army was poorly supplied with heavy artillery, and "thus prevented the German retreat at the Marne from becoming a rout." The newspaper says that "M. Millerand's public career was finished."

CANNOT FIND HAHN.  
Man Mentioned by Rube Benton as Informant on Baseball Scandal.

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 24.—The man named Hahn mentioned by Rube Benton as the one who told him that the last world series was "fixed" could not be located today.

August Herrmann, president of the Cincinnati baseball club and former chairman of the national commission, said today:

UNITED STATES SHOULD  
SHIP COTTON GOODS

And Not Merely Send Raw Cotton, According to Plea of Daniel E. Dooty Before National Association of Cotton Manufacturers.

Maplewood, N. H., Sept. 24.—The need for export trade in the cotton industry of this country was urged today by speakers at the semi-annual meeting of the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers.

Daniel E. Dooty of New York asserted that "America should distribute cotton goods to the world in place of raw cotton," and added that "the time has passed when the cotton manufacturer can hear with indifference the appeal of the southern planter for a fair price which will yield him a just return." A tariff wall will protect our domestic markets, the speaker continued, but will not secure foreign trade, and will assist in the competition in foreign markets only by taxing domestic consumers in order to sell at lower prices abroad.

Pointing to recent movements in England and Japan toward consolidation of cotton interests, Mr. Dooty said that in the manufacturers' association lay "the foundation for the type of mutual cooperation which can produce for the American cotton industry the results which we desire."

Oscar K. Davis of New York, secretary of the national foreign trade council, said:

"The cotton manufacturing industry of Europe is rapidly approaching life-size output and success. We shall be faced by the fiercest competition in the cotton buying markets of the world. Great Britain, Japan, Italy and Germany are devoting their best energies to securing the trade, and only a systematic campaign out on broad lines can successfully make the competitive conditions that prevail in foreign markets."

"We have reached the period of industrial development in the United States, where foreign trade has become distinctly and uncontestably a part of our life. We shall not enjoy stable conditions at home unless we maintain domestic prosperity unless we maintain our foreign trade. We have attained the degree of production where we must either sell largely and continuously abroad, or endure stagnation and disaster at home."

The foreign exchange situation was discussed by Dr. B. R. Anderson, Jr. of New York. He said that continued violent fluctuations in the exchange rates were inevitable because of the abandonment of the gold standard in Europe. The speaker pointed out methods by which exporters and importers could avoid these risks, either through insuring on confirmed dollar credits in the United States or through "hedging contracts," by which exporters sell foreign exchange for future delivery at the market rate, and importers buy or by which importers purchase foreign exchange for future delivery at the time they make their contracts to import goods.

## TO FIND PROFIT SOURCES.

Department of Agriculture Puts Experts to Work.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 24.—To develop neglected sources of public and private profit through the application of new processes discovered by department of agriculture experts, an office of development work has been created by Secretary Meredith in the bureau of chemistry. The staff will be made up of engineers headed by David J. Price, chief engineer in the dust-explosion investigations conducted by the department, who will furnish for the new office material supply cost of production and the uses to which the product is adapted.

Dr. Carl L. Ainsberg, chief of the bureau of chemistry, sponsor of the new plan, said such a service was "urgently needed to translate the work of the bureau into terms that could be understood and applied by the manufacturers and investors." Every year, he said, valuable discoveries are made concerning utilization of manufacturing waste; a new food is found, or a new process is discovered. It will be the business of the new office to give such discoveries practical application.

## PEARL NECKLACE GONE.

So Mrs. John Speckels, Jr., Seeks Extradition of William Barrett.

London, Sept. 24.—Solicitors representing Mrs. John Speckels, Jr., of California have instructed the police to inaugurate extradition proceedings for William Barrett, an American, who is reported to be under surveillance by the Los Angeles police.

A warrant charging Barrett with the theft of a pearl necklace valued at 16,000 pounds sterling was issued on the application of Mrs. Speckels in the Marlborough police court on Sept. 17. Mrs. Speckels has cancelled her passage on a liner, sailing tomorrow for New York and will await the return of her husband, who is in Norway.

Her secretary said today that Mrs. Speckels met Barrett, whom she had known several years, at the Sandown race course some time ago and as she was not acquainted in London he offered to introduce her to his friends. The secretary declared that Mrs. Speckels requested him to attend to some dealings for her with jewelers and gave him the necklace, which she wanted cleaned and restrung.

BRITISH COAL  
STRIKE HELD UP

Order Effective To-morrow Has Been Suspended a Week

PREMIER PRESENTS  
RECOMMENDATION

For Wage Increase If Reasonable Rate of Production Is Maintained

London, Sept. 24.—As a result of further conference with Premier Lloyd George, concerning the proposed coal strike, the miners' executive body decided today to recommend to the delegates of the miners that the strike notices, which are effective to-morrow, be suspended one week to enable the miners to meet the owners as suggested by the premier.

The premier's proposal was that a basic line be fixed for coal output at a sufficiently low level to insure a wage increase if any reasonable rate of production is maintained.

The recommendation of the executive board was followed by the miners' delegates at their meetings in the afternoon and it was decided to suspend the strike notices one week as requested by the premier.

TRY TO FIND CAUSE OF  
WEALTHY MAN'S DEATH

Body of Jacob Charles Denton Was Found Buried in the Collar of His Home in Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 24.—A preliminary post mortem examination of the body of Jacob Charles Denton, found buried in a sealed room in the collar of his home, having disclosed no marks of violence, detectives searched today for evidence as to how the wealthy mining promoter came to his death.

Officers previously had expressed the theory that Denton had been shot or stabbed. The shooting theory was favored because a revolver, fully loaded, but with one cartridge a wrong caliber had been found in a room, which Denton had reserved for his own private use.

Stories by Los Angeles friends as to when Denton was last seen differed as to the date. Some placed it at June 2, while others named Aug. 19 as the time he dropped from sight.

Judge Russ Avery of the Los Angeles superior court, friend and attorney of the dead man, made public portions of a recent will drawn by Denton. This document disposed of the bulk of his property to Frances Denton, a daughter of his first and divorced wife, now going to school in Phoenix, Ariz.

He also wrote Judge Avery: "If anything should happen to me, or in case of death, which must sometime happen to all of us, I hereby appoint you to be executor of my estate."

Joel Denton is a brother of the dead man, the police said.

## HAS \$105,000 GOLD BURIED.

According to Testimony of Mrs. Bergdoll of Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Sept. 24.—Mrs. Emma C. Bergdoll's story of burying a \$105,000 pot of gold attracted additional attention today to her trial in the federal court on charge of aiding her sons, Grover and Erwin, to evade the draft.

"I buried it," she testified yesterday. "It is buried yet. No one was with me when I buried it. I got the gold because I thought it would be good to have for a rainy day. I thought sometime I would not be able to get good money when I wanted it."

Grover Bergdoll escaped after getting permission to leave Governor's Island to dig up gold which he said he had buried.

## RATIONING IN PROVIDENCE

Coal Buyers in Providence to Be Limited to One Firm.

Providence, R. I., Sept. 24.—Anthracite coal will be rationed in this city during the fall and winter, it was decided at a conference this morning between coal dealers and Mayor Gainer.

A committee of dealers has been appointed to work with a committee to be appointed by the mayor to devise an adequate system of assuring everyone in this city at least a partial supply of coal during the threatened shortage.

Individuals will not be allowed to place orders with more than one dealer and no individual will be given a full winter supply until everyone in the city has been cared for with a partial supply.

## CANNOT RISK SELLING BREAD.

Italian Government's Financial Condition Will Not Allow It.

NEW THREAT  
TO POLAND

Must Accept Armistice or Sustain Russian Winter Campaign

GIVEN TEN DAYS  
TO ACCEPT PLAN

Proposal Was Made at Russo-Polish Peace Conference at Riga

Riga, Latvia, Sept. 24 (By the Associated Press).—Adolph Joffe, head of the soviet peace delegation, at today's session of the Russo-Polish peace conference proposed an armistice, which, he said, must be accepted by the Poles within 10 days or the Russian winter campaign would be inaugurated.

Joffe preceded his proposal by offering to withdraw virtually all the 15 peace points submitted at Minsk, to which the Poles objected.

The soviet armistice terms, which he said the soviet central executive committee in Moscow decided upon yesterday, eliminate virtually all conditions designed to sovietize Poland and abandon the Russian claims regarding Galicia.

The proposals make the prospect of peace much brighter than hitherto, Joffe said, the soviets desired to avoid a winter campaign.

MARYLAND WOMEN  
MUST TELL YEARS

Before They Will Be Permitted to Register as Voters—Legislature Failed to Pass Exemption Bill.

Baltimore, Sept. 24.—The board of supervisors decided today that women in order to register as voters must give their ages. A bill to exempt them was passed in the dying hours of the House of Representatives during the special session of the legislature, which ended last night. But the Senate had adjourned sine die before the bill reached it.

During the two sittings of the registration officials which were held this week, women who refused to give their ages were permitted to register conditionally upon the statement that they were "over 21," but the board decided that this won't do.

## APPEAL TO CATHOLICS.

For Permanent Endowment of National Catholic Welfare Council.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 24.—Plans for a nationwide appeal to the Catholic clergy and laity to co-operate in raising a permanent endowment for the work of the National Catholic Welfare council were made yesterday at the annual meeting here of archbishops and bishops. Cardinal Gibbons presided at the meeting.

The work of the council, according to a statement issued by the bishops, has for its object not only the promotion of purely Catholic activities, but also civic betterment, the fostering of good citizenship, the care of immigrants and the solution of social problems.

Pending the outcome of the endowment campaign, the bishops authorized the council to continue its work with funds to be provided by the bishops.

LONE BANDIT TOOK  
\$10,000 FROM BANK

After Forcing Clerk Into Vault at the Point of a Revolver.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 24.—A lone armed bandit today held up a branch of the Kent street bank at the Fulton and State streets, forced the clerk, Melvin Ringold, into a vault and escaped with cash estimated by bank officials at \$10,000 and a number of bonds.

## PASSENGERS CAPTURED BANDIT.

After He Had Held Up and Robbed Train.

Denver, Col., Sept. 24.—Passengers on a Santa Fe train after being robbed early today by a single masked bandit, between Las Animas and Ladueta, Col., captured him and delivered him to police at La Junta after recovering nearly all their valuables. The bandit gave the name of John Morgan.

## PANAMA CANAL RECORD.

The Toll Collection for August Was \$936,209.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 24.—A new record for a month's traffic through the Panama canal was established during August, when 296 commercial ships passed through, carrying 1,049,740 tons of cargo, according to reports received here today. Tolls collected during the month amounted to \$936,209.

## IN SERIOUS CONDITION.

Spanish Anarchist in Prison Is On Hunger Strike.

Bilbao, Spain, Sept. 23.—Elias Garcia Negarria, an anarchist, arrested last month on a charge of killing two policemen at Barcelona, is on a hunger strike. He is in a serious condition, having eaten nothing since being arrested.

## A Palatable Bit, Sir.

A correspondent criticizes our recent remark that while a glass of butter-milk may be as nourishing as a half dozen oysters, you'll never find a pearl in a glass of butter-milk. "Humph!" he exclaims, "I've found as many pearls in butter-milk as I ever have in oysters."—Boston Transcript.

CHICAGO HOTEL MEN  
ALLEGED PROFITEERS

Managers of Five Leading Hotels and Two Restaurant Chains Called to Explain.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—Managers of five leading hotels and two restaurant chains have been summoned to appear today before the city council's committee on living costs. An announcement by Chairman Max Adamowski said that they would be asked to explain "why their prices have not been reduced in proportion to the drop in wholesale food prices."

At a conference last night, Alderman Adamowski added, E. J. Stevens, manager of another big hotel, promised "an immediate downward revision in prices."

"We have the facts and figures to put to these gentlemen," food alderman said, "that they have been profiteering. We believe that they will agree that the war is over and reduce their prices. If they do not they face a withering combination of prosecution and pitiless publicity."

"Prices have dropped from \$9.50 a hundred pounds to \$2.50, yet an order of potatoes still costs from 15 to 40 cents. The same can be said of tomatoes, corn and beans. If the prices are put down where they belong, less meat will be eaten and the public will get relief from food prices."

"An investigator was sent to a restaurant to purchase a lunch similar to one which Mr. Poole's wife had packed for him."

"Our lunch demonstrates that at a cost of 28 cents we could more than make good food than can be purchased at hotel and restaurant prices from 60 cents to \$1.75," Mr. Poole said.

"The home lunch consisted of a sandwich, containing two ounces of meat, which cost eight cents; one apple, two cents; a cheese sandwich, containing two ounces of cheese, four cents; one piece of pie cut from a standard nine-inch pie, four cents, and one pint of milk, delivered by a milkman at the city hall offices, 10 cents. Total 28 cents."

EX-SERVICE MEN WILL  
MARCH IN CLEVELAND

Fifty Bands Have Been Secured to Accompany the Legion Men

Cleveland, O., Sept. 24.—Indications today were that the largest crowd that ever visited Cleveland would be here for the parade of the American Legion on Monday, the opening day of the three days' convention.

More than 20,000 men and women will march according to Colonel J. R. McQuigg, grand marshal of the parade, with about 50 bands.

Oklahoma delegates, who arrived today, declared they would seek a more liberal interpretation of the Legion's non-political clause in the constitution.

Messages of greetings were received today from Senator Harding, Governor Cox, Secretary Baker and Secretary Daniels.

Governor Cox's message said: "It is my hope that every request and recommendation made, and to be made, by your body, will receive the warmest consideration of all parties interested. Nothing would displease me more than to see our government and our people forget the great service rendered by your members in the successful struggle in behalf of civilization. I hope the activities of your organization will assist in keeping fresh in the minds of our people the duty and obligation our country owes to those who served in time of need."

Senator Harding wrote: "Our soldiers, sailors and marines fought not as Republicans or Democrats, but as citizens for the preservation of American rights and perpetuation of American ideals."

"Adhering to the non-partisan spirit of co-operation shown by all Americans during the war, the American Legion happily has expressed the determination to remain free from party politics. You cast your ballots not as individuals, but as members of the American Legion, and you even more conscious of the necessity for preservation of our national unity."

"To the spirit of the American Legion, America now looks for leadership in maintaining the rights and ideals for which you fought."

President Wilson has sent the following message of greeting to the legion: "Years are now beginning to separate us from the day of trial and deeds of valor which marked America's participation in the World War. As the number of the years increases, the things you did in foreign fields will be seen in clearer perspective. The quality of your quality will be more and more apparent."

"The nation sent you as its representatives and its champions; the fidelity with which you fought fittingly represented the faithfulness with which you have labored and sacrificed for the common cause. The result of it all was a military victory in France and a moral victory in the world; the deeds of valor, the deeds of high thinking, the deeds of righteous impulses together make a great tradition and it will be good for all future generations that you should practice of cherishing these memories and keeping them bright as an example and inspiration."

"My own high privilege of leadership was a daily privilege. There was no need to urge; we all went forward as comrades in a great end, and we surveyed the world with the attitude that America was permitted to make no great contribution to righteousness among peoples and among nations."

## COX IN COLORADO.

Speeches to Be Delivered at Pueblo and Denver.

Trinidad, Col., Sept. 24.—Governor Cox's presidential campaign in Colorado began today with speeches to be delivered in Pueblo at noon and in Denver at night.

Several short speeches, including one at Colorado Springs, were scheduled.

PORTLAND HAS  
THREAT CARD

Chief of Police Notified Post Office and Fidelity Trust Will Suffer

BELIEVED A HOAX,  
BUT GUARDS PLACED

Card Was Written in Pencil and Was Similar to Mayor Peters' Threat

Portland, Maine, Sept. 24.—The post office and the Fidelity Trust company building, an 11-story structure, were guarded by the police today, although a postcard warning received by the chief of police to watch them after 10 o'clock today was regarded as a hoax.

The card, written with pencil and mailed in this city late yesterday, read as follows:

"You and your gang had better be careful. We are here from New York. Watch the post office and Fidelity Trust at 10 to-morrow or later."

(Signed) "H. Y. T. W."

The wording is similar to that on the card received by Mayor Peters of Boston from Charleston on Wednesday.

630 QTS. WHISKEY  
SEIZED FROM TRUCK

Lawrence and Andover Police Made Raid at Andover, Mass., To-day.

Andover, Mass., Sept. 24.—Lawrence and Andover police officials seized 630 quart bottles of whiskey, valued at \$5,500, early today, while it was being removed, according to the police, from a motor truck in Flat court.

Sylvester McGovern, driver of the truck, was arrested on the charge of illegally transporting intoxicating liquor, and his mechanic, George Roy of Montreal, in the former's Cartwright, was arrested on a charge of illegally keeping intoxicating liquor, the police charging that the whiskey was taken from McKellogg's drugstore.

McKellogg was fined \$100 in the district court at Lawrence and McGovern \$50. Jeremiah Kennedy also arrested on the illegal transporting charge was fined \$50.

## AIRPLANE RAN AWAY.

And Orleans County Came Near Losing One of Its Judges.

Newport, Sept. 24.—Orleans county court came near being shy one assistant judge yesterday. Judge Wallace D. Miller of North Troy was about to ride with A. Leo McKay of North Troy, P. Q., and his mechanic, George Roy of Montreal, in the former's Cartwright airplane, a 90-horsepower training machine and was strapped in his seat. In some way, something caught the throttle and threw it open.

The machine started and ran about 100 or 150 yards before the mechanic succeeded in climbing aboard and stopping the engine. Judge Miller says he loves solitude, but if he had gone off by himself he might have been late for court the next morning.

Harry Richardson, photographer, was employed by the Newport Electric Light company to make a photograph record and map of all the sources of supply to the Clyde river. He also made many pictures of Newport and the surrounding country.

PONZE AGENTS  
PUT UNDER BONDS

Percy Lamb and Christopher Rhein Pledged Not Guilty to Larceny When Arraigned at Lawrence, Mass.

Lawrence, Mass., Sept. 24.—Percy Lamb, local agent of Charles Ponze's Securities Exchange Co., and his assistant, Christopher Rhein, indicted for larceny from depositors, were arraigned in the superior court here today, both pleading not guilty and being held under bonds of \$3,000 and \$1,000, respectively, for trial. There are 16 counts in the Lamb indictment, alleging the larceny of \$9,000 in sums ranging from \$50 to \$2,000 and three counts in the Rhein indictment for the larceny of \$1,400 in sums ranging from \$200 to \$1,000. No date was set for the trial.

## PERMANENT COMMISSIONS

Will Be Awarded Winners in Competitive Naval Examinations.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 24.—Competitive examinations for appointment of temporary and reserve officers of the navy to permanent commissions will be held next May, it was announced today by Secretary Daniels.

All naval officers who served during the war, whether on active or inactive duty, will be eligible to take the examinations, provided their age does not exceed 35 years plus the duration of their active naval service.

It is expected that the permanent commissioned strength of the navy, the increase of which has not kept pace with expansion of the naval establishment, will be materially augmented as a result of the examinations.

## 30-YEAR-OLD COUNTERFEITER

Sent to Jail for a Year—He Wanted to Go There.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 24.—William Smith, alias Robert Rossen, 30-year-old counterfeiter, today was under jail sentence of one year and a fine of \$1, imposed in the federal court when he pleaded guilty.

He said he had passed bad money in the hope of getting into jail, as he was well treated there.

Regular meeting of Canton Vinton Friday, Sept. 24, at 7:30.

## GIRL'S NECK THROAT BROKEN.

When She Was Tipped Out of An Automobile.

Six persons lost the use of the automobile operator's license this morning, having removed them. These include Harry Webber of St. Albans, suspended indefinitely for reckless driving; W. J. Premo, Roxbury, 40 days, for causing an accident; B. J. Keefe, Waterbury, 90 days, for careless driving and negligence; M. O. Eldred, indefinitely, for being hit by a train at Enosburg Falls; Harry L. Turner of East Bethel, indefinitely, for causing an accident and failure to report; John Novak, Ludlow, indefinitely, for causing an accident yesterday, tipping a girl out of his machine. It is thought the girl's neck is broken and that she cannot live. He tried to pass another machine when conditions were unfavorable.

W. R. Briggs of Bethel has reported to the secretary of state that his automobile hit a man on the road near Bethel a few days since. He was trying to pass another machine and the Italian stepped in front of his automobile. The accident was not known; a physician and appeared to have escaped with minor bruises. Frank Rowland of St. Albans has reported that his automobile hit a child on the streets in that city and that he carried the child to a hospital. It was Mary Rendall, three years old, and the seriousness of the accident was not known; at the time the report was made, Roger Fitzpatrick of Burlington have reported a collision in Duxbury. Their reports do not agree, each indicating that the blame is upon the other driver. Harry Manning and Elmer Rogers of Rochester have reported an accident.

## PLAINTIFF CALLED DEFENDANT.

As a Witness and Defendant's Attorney Entered Many Objections.

The jury in the case of William Lathrop vs. the Mad River Lumber company returned a verdict in Washington county court Thursday afternoon in favor of the plaintiff to recover \$863.25 in costs.

The jury in the case of W. F. Whitman vs. Leon Daley is composed of the following men: H. L. Ford, Warren; C. C. McNeill, Marshfield; Fay Dow, Montpelier; G. H. Bruce, Moreau; F. P. Tewksbury, Worcester; Fuller Bell, Berlin; E. E. Howson, Montpelier; M. C. O'Brien, Duxbury; Carl Thomas, Woodbury; Francis Roy, Plainfield; B. B. Kent, Montpelier; Riley Moulton, Fayston. This case is to recover \$300 in trespass and has to do with timber cutting, only in a different way from the previous case. One of the peculiarities of last week's case was that the plaintiff, H. C. Shortell, plaintiff's attorney, called as his first witness the defendant in the case and proceeded to cross-examine him most of the afternoon, bringing out his version of the matter subject to many objections made by the defending attorneys.

Testimony was introduced this morning to show the damage that was done by timber having been cut on property which Mr. Whitman claims. Among those on the witness stand were Michael Pembroke, the plaintiff; A. Crozier, and an engineer named Davis, who was called in by the plaintiff, tending to show where the fence line was. Effort made yesterday to bring about a settlement, was met with opposition at the hands of the defense.

The plaintiffs in the case of Margaret Badard vs. C. I. Brown for automobile accident, called as a witness, H. C. Shortell, plaintiff's attorney, called as his first witness the defendant in the case and proceeded to cross-examine him most of the afternoon, bringing out his version of the matter subject to many objections made by the defending attorneys.

## DUNNETT TRUST DEED FILED

His Law Partners Are Named to Look After Trust.

A trust deed has been filed in the city clerk's office, in which Alexander Dunnett, under date of May 12, 1920, deeded all of his property to trust of C. A. Shinn and C. S. Conant, his law partners, excepting his St. Johnsbury property. This would include the property in Ryegate, Montpelier and Groton. The St. Johnsbury property is listed to Ella Dunnett, his wife. The trustees are to look after the property and have authority to sell or buy at the best judgment. After the death of Mrs. Dunnett, the property is to be divided, one-fourth to George Dunnett, his brother, in Ryegate and the rest in equal shares to his nieces and nephews or their heirs. His law practice he sells to the trustees for \$3,000, to be paid for in easy installments.

## NORTHFIELD RACES.

Dorothy Mather Won 2:28 Race and May Lee the 2:18 Race.

Northfield, Sept. 24.—The results of the races at the Dog River Valley fair yesterday were as follows:

2:28 Pace; 2:24 Trot; Purse, \$300.  
Dorothy Mather b. m. Sanborn 1 1 1  
Little Prince b. g. Berre 2 2 2  
H. M. Jones b. m. Hanley 3 3 3  
Nell Sable b. m. Berre 3 3 3  
Tuganito b. m. Ham 3 3 4  
Hal Wilkes b. g. Slavton 4 4 6  
Times, 2:20 1/2; 2:25 1/2; 2:21 1/2.

2:18 Pace; 2:14 Trot; Purse, \$300.  
May Lee b. m. Pierce